

TWO TOWN WOMEN DIE

MRS. R. W. BREAM AFTER YEAR OF ILLNESS.

Mrs. G. R. Thompson Suddenly From Scarlet Fever After Being Up and Around A Few Days Before.

Mrs. Ida Belle Bream, wife of Hon. R. William Bream, died at her home on Springs Avenue shortly after 11 o'clock last Friday night. She had been in failing health for about a year and was confined to her bed for several months. She was aged 72 years. She was a daughter of the late William and Sarah Wierman and was born at the Wierman home near town and spent her entire life in the county, for many years on the farm on the Fairfield road and for about twenty five years has been a resident of Gettysburg, where she made many friends and has been held in the highest esteem. The funeral was held on Tuesday with services by Rev. Earl J. Bowman, pastor of St. James Lutheran Church, of which Mrs. Bream was a devout member all her life, and interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery. She leaves her husband and four children: Miss Maude Alice, at home; Mrs. H. S. Trump, of Montclair, New Jersey; Mrs. Richard Dean, of Granville, O.; and Mrs. Albert Billheimer, Springs Avenue. Two brothers and two sisters of York; Miss Alice Wierman, of Gettysburg; W. H. Wierman, who also survive: Joseph W. Wierman, Chambersburg street, and Mrs. Ella Wren, of Confederate avenue.

Mrs. G. R. Thompson, wife of G. R. Thompson, ex-sheriff of Adams county, died Wednesday morning at her home on Carlisle street, after an illness of a few days from scarlet fever. Mrs. Thompson was taken ill last Saturday. The fever was in its most malignant form and death ensued at the age of 50 years, 3 months and 3 days. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Robert and Earl, both of Carlisle street; one daughter, Mrs. Belle Deatrick, of Charlestown, Virginia, and one stepdaughter, Mrs. Lester Bowers, of Granite Station.

Mrs. Thompson was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Walker, of Hunterstown, who survive with one sister, Mrs. William D. Brown, of Hunterstown, and one brother, Edward Walker, of Goulden's Station.

Private funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, by Rev. Earl J. Bowman, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, of which she was a member, with interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

Russell G. Lemmon, of near Littlestown, died in the Lancaster Hospital at 8:45 A. M. last Friday, from a fracture of the skull. He was aged 20 years, 6 months and 24 days. While trying to place a belt on a moving pulley in the plant of the Armstrong Cork Co., Lancaster, he was thrown to the floor when a shaft struck the ladder on which he was working and he fell, striking his head on a pipe. The accident occurred on the previous Wednesday. The young man, who was a machinist, regained consciousness for a short time at the hospital Thursday. He was a World War veteran and served 18 months with the 3rd Field Artillery at Camp Knox, Kentucky. He leaves his parents, William and Elsie Lemmon, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. James Slick, of Taneytown; Walter Lemmon, of Hampton; Lillian, Edith, Robert, Wilbur, Ella and Bernard Lemmon, all at home, near Littlestown. The funeral was on Monday, with services at St. John's Lutheran Church, by Rev. George Ecker, with burial in Union Cemetery, at Silver Run, Md.

Mrs. George Geisler, of near Abbottstown, died on January 31st from tetanus. Mrs. Geisler, who before her marriage was Miss Jane Krout, had been an invalid for fifteen years, suffering from paraparesis. Nine weeks ago she sustained another stroke, and just two days before her death became afflicted with lock-jaw. The only apparent cause for the disease were several bed sores, caused by her long confinement. Mrs. Geisler's long illness had left her in a weakened condition, and when the lock-jaw developed, no hope was entertained for her recovery. Her age was 58 years, 11 months and 28 days.

She leaves her husband, George Geisler; four sons, Paul R., Curvin K., Roy E., and George A. Geisler, all at home; three daughters, Mrs. Bessie Dannemann, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Percy Mumford, of Farmers; and Miss Ada Geisler, at home. The funeral was on Monday, with services and interment at Christ Lutheran Church, Jackson township, York county.

John T. Fuhrman, residing with his daughter, Mrs. Irvin Dutterer, at Silver Run, died at that place on last Sunday morning after an illness of 15 weeks, aged 70 years, 4 months and 14 days. He was a son of the late Absalom and Sarah Fuhrman. His wife, who was Miss Belle Myers, of Hampstead, Md., died 11 years ago. He leaves three daughters: Mrs. Oliver Hesson, of near Littlestown; Mrs. Irvin Dutterer, with whom he resided, and Mrs. George L. Dutterer, of near Silver Run. He is also

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Fine Concert By School Children.

The Music Department of the Gettysburg High School, under direction of Miss Lucille Henry, the Instructor of Music, gave a splendid concert on February 6, in Lincoln Way Theatre. Over a hundred children in our schools took part in the concert.

The program was as follows: Marche Militaire, Schubert; Northwind, Chambers—Orchestra.

Morning Invitation, Vaezie-Chorus.

A Spring Romance, Hosmer; Tinkers Song from "Robin Hood"—Double Quartet.

A Health to Our Friends, Adams; Far Away In the South, Adams—Boys' Quartet.

The Minuet, Mozart—Chorus.

Frat. Barth; Vale Violette, Ludwig—Orchestra.

Last Night the Nightingale Woke Me, Kjerulf; Lullaby, Brahms—Chorus.

Mah' Lindy Lou, Strickland; The Goblins, Parks—Double Quartet.

Hail to the Heroes, from "Aida" Verdi—Chorus.

Accompanists: Alfred Gilbert, Dorothy Remmel.

Chorus was composed of following: Sopranos: Mildred Myers, Caroline Rupp, Ethel Houck, Elizabeth Mumper, Pauline Brown, Elizabeth Scott, Frances Tate, Marion Beales, Dorothy Pitzer, Bernice Snyder, Mary Jane Snyder, Beatrice Minter, Jessie Shealer, Helen Adams, Marion McCleaf, Madelyn Culp, Kathryn Sheads, Helea Haner, Elizabeth Plank, Helen Beales, Kathryn Weaver, Clara McCleaf, Evelyn Thomas, Mae Reinecker, Gladys Daniels, Floranna Fox, Glenna Kime, Anna Geiselman, Agatha Hagen, Miriam Hartzell, Catherine Hartman, Margaret Hankey, Edith Minter, Florence McCleaf, Edith Clare, Rena Berman, Margaret Epoli, Cordelia Hartman, Helen Spangler, Geraldine Cashman, Martha Bower, Marjorie Slabaugh, Elizabeth Bigham, Eloise Klinefelter, Erma Krout, Lucille Conover, Lorena Strine, Geraldine Epley, Emma Neely, Elizabeth Neely, Dorothy Remmel.

Altos: Dorothy Taughinbaugh, Laura Krout, Helen Scott, Esther Reaser, Beatrice Grinder, Jessie Voorhees, Alice Snyder, Christine Eberhart, Elizabeth Seabrook, Kathryn Hershey, Kathryn Weikert, Mildred Cashman, Anna Smiley, Robert Taylor, John Dixon, Robert Seaks, David Lehman, Josephine Robert, Beatrice Shenk, Elizabeth Horn, Kathleen Thomas, Marguerite Rogers, Esther Straley, Ruth Diehl, Ruth Reaser.

Tenors: Jarvis Robinson, Carlton Nau, Richard Hershey, Donald Carbaugh, Daniel Musselman, Donald Stine, Edward Beard, Joseph Wible, Edgar Markley, John Mickley, John Mumper, Clement Woutersz, Robert Singley, Charles Rogers.

Basses: Andre Conti, Charles Weaver, Robert Bream, Lloyd Williams, Byron Kaedel, Harmon Zinn, Glenn Stauffer, Paul Reaser, Clifton Wierman, Percy Eker, Charles Starner, Ralph Wolfe, Welty Kadel, John Fox, Dale Bream, Paul Dougherty, John Lott, Arthur Gordon, Donald Stoner, Howard Robinson.

Double Quartet: Evelyn Thomas, Gladys Daniels, Catherine Hartman, Marguerite Rogers, Jarvis Robinson, Charles Rogers, Clifton Wierman, Paul Dougherty.

Boys' Quartet: Jarvis Robinson, Carlton Nau, Howard Robinson, Clifton Wierman.

Orchestra was made up as follows.

First Violin: Paul Reaser, Madelyn Culp, John Seaks, Kenneth Alwine.

First Mandolin: Helen Cook.

Second Violin: Andre Conti, Earl Wineman.

Saxophone: Charles Beales.

Cornet: Jarvis Robinson.

Clarinet: Margaret Snyder, Charles Rogers.

Trombone: Carlton Nau, Wayne Shultz.

Bass Viol: Elizabeth Swisher.

Drums and Bells: Paul Dougherty.

Piano: Dorothy Remmel.

Respond To Out Of Town Call.

An alarm of fire was given about six thirty o'clock on Tuesday evening. The bell signal instead of the siren indicated a fire out of town, which proved to be the garage on the farm of Roy A. Weener, north of town on the Harrisburg road. The fire was the result of a peculiar accident Mr. Weener had gone to the garage to drain the water from the radiator of his car and had taken a lantern with him, which he set on the floor just inside the door. The garage, which is a long narrow building, besides housing the automobile, is used to store certain farm machinery, and at the extreme end of the building opposite the door were several metal tanks containing gasoline. Mr. Weener noticed the spigot on one of these was leaking and when he attempted to tighten it the threads stripped and the spigot came out with a rush of gasoline which saturated his clothing. Rushing to the door, Mr. Weener picked up the lantern to get it away from the gasoline which was flooding the floor, when the gasoline on his sleeve ignited and in a second the blaze caught the gas on the floor. Mr. Weener had presence of mind to throw himself in a mud puddle and extinguish the fire on his clothes. With the aid of neighbors the fire was kept from spreading until the Fire Company could get there with the pumper. The fire was a stubborn one to handle, as the intense heat melted out the spigots from the other gasoline tanks and streams of liquid fire ran in every direction. The car and some machinery were gotten out and the barn was saved after several hours of hard work. Later Mr. Weener was brought to town to have the deep burns on his hand and arm dressed.

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A Great American



America's War President, Woodrow Wilson, earned his place in history as a great American. These pictures show (big photo) as he looked during his second term of office just before sailing to Paris to help dictate peace. No. 1. Woodrow Wilson on his 65th birthday, two years after retiring to private life. No. 2. Wilson back from Paris Peace Conference—himself taking the treaty to present to U. S. Congress. No. 3. Woodrow Wilson's first public appearance in Washington after being stricken down through overwork in concluding peace. Mrs. Wilson is with him.

Woodrow Wilson, the greatest man America has yet produced, the foremost citizen of the world, the apostle of democracy and peace, ceased to breathe at 11:15 Sunday morning, Feb. 3, and at 5:30 P. M. Wednesday Feb. 6, the body of this private citizen was laid to rest in the crypt of the Episcopal Cathedral in Washington with a simple ceremony.

Woodrow Wilson won America's battle in the great World War. He was the commander-in-chief of our Army and Navy in the greatest conflict that ever took place on this earth. He was the inspiration of millions who fought the German monster and other countless millions at home and abroad working toward the same result. He fell victim not altogether of the enemy in front but more from the Judas partnership at home who from fear, selfishness and hatred helped in the slaying making America after the war play the role of the pariah instead of the Good Samaritan, going to the help of wounded nations. But the mission of goodwill to man never dies, for peace on earth will go marching on to a greater and larger future, because of the vision of Woodrow Wilson.

Brief Details in Life of Woodrow Wilson.

Born: Staunton, Va., Dec. 28, 1856.

Son of Rev. Joseph R. and Jessie Woodrow Wilson, Scotch-Irish ancestry on both sides.

Graduated Princeton U., 1879.

Graduated in law, Virginia U., 1881.

Practiced law, Atlanta, Ga., 1882-83.

Johns Hopkins U., post-graduate, 1883-85.

Marieted Ellen Louis Axson, Savannah, Ga., June 21, 1885 (died Aug. 6, 1914). Second marriage to Edith Bolling Galt of Washington, D. C., Dec. 18, 1915.

Took up first educational work in 1885, at Bryn Mawr.

President of Princeton University 1902-1913.

Governor: New Jersey 1911-1913 (resigned when nominated for Presidency in Democratic National Convention). Baltimore (1912).

Elected Twenty-eighth President of the U. S. Nov. 4, 1912. Renominated and elected for second term, 1916-1920.

Declared war on Germany and Central Powers, April 6, 1917.

Left for France December 4, 1918, at the head of the American Commission to Negotiate Peace; arrived in Paris Dec. 14; visited England December 26-30, 1918; Italy, January 2, 1919; Belgium, June 18-19, 1919; delivered many addresses and given honorary degrees by various universities of allied countries; returned to United States February 24, 1919.

Left on second trip to Europe, after speaking at closing session of Congress; arrived in Paris, March 14;

signed Peace Treaty June 28, 1919; returned to U. S. arriving in New York July 8, 1919.

Chief Events of the Wilson Administration.

Here were the principal events during the Wilson Administrations:

The world war.

Reisal of the Senate to ratify Treaty of Versailles and League of Nations covenant.

Negotiations of arbitration treaties with Great Britain, Japan and many other countries.

Military occupation of Haiti, Santo Domingo and Vera Cruz.

Purchase of the Danish West Indies.

Refusal to recognize any leader in Latin-America who acquired office by force.

Refusal to recognize Russian Soviet Banking System; Rural Credits Bank-Government.

Establishment of Federal Reserve System; Federal Trade Commission; Tariff Commission; Shipping Board and Emergency Fleet Corporation; War Risk Bureau; Federal Water Power Commission; Employees' Compensation Commission and Alien Property Custodian.

Construction of great Government-owned merchant marine and Government railroad in Alaska.

Enactment of Constitutional amendments providing for direct election of Senators, National prohibition and equal suffrage; selective service draft act, a war measure; Clayton Anti-Trust law; eight-hour day for railroad employees; Workmen's Compensation law; law for Federal aid in State highway construction; LaFollette Seaman act; immigration law with illiteracy test; revenue law with huge increases in income and other taxes.

Repeal of the clause in Panama Canal law, exempting American ships from tolls.

Government operation of railroads and telegraph and telephone lines as war measure, together with food and fuel control.

Sale of seized enemy dye and chemical patents to Chemical Foundation.

Passage of the Esch-Cummins Transportation Act and creation of Railroad Labor Board.

Creation of Pacific battle fleet, with transfer to Pacific coast of bulk of naval forces.

President Coolidge's Proclamation.

"The death of Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States from March 4, 1913, to March 4, 1921, which occurred at 11:15 A. M. o'clock today at his home in Washington, District of Columbia, deprives the country of

a most distinguished citizen and an event which causes universal and genuine sorrow. To many of us it

brings the sense of a profound personal bereavement.

"His early profession as a lawyer was abandoned to enter academic life. In this chosen field he attained the highest rank as an educator, and has left his impress upon the intellectual thought of the country. From the presidency to Princeton University he was called by his fellow-citizens to be the chief executive of the United States, who twice elected him to the Chief Magistracy of the Republic. As President of the United States he was moved by an earnest desire to promote the best interests of the country as he conceived them. His acts were prompted by high motives and his sincerity of purpose cannot be questioned. He led the nation through the terrific struggle of the world war with a lofty idealism that never failed him. He gave utterance to the aspiration of humanity with an eloquence which held the attention of all the earth and made America a new and enlarged influence in the destiny of mankind.

"In testimony of the respect in which his memory is held by the Government and people of the United States, I do hereby direct that the flags of the White House and of the several departmental buildings be displayed at half-mast for a period of 30 days and that suitable military and naval honors under orders of the Secretary of War and of the Secretary of the Navy may be rendered on the day of the funeral."

IMPRESSIVE CHURCH WEDDING.

Rosensteel—Alwood. — St. Francis Xavier Church, Gettysburg, was the scene of an impressive wedding ceremony on Tuesday morning, when Miss Hilda Mary Alwood, of Hanover, became the bride of Edmund Rosensteel, of Gettysburg, at a nuptial high mass, performed by Rev. Father Mrak Stock, pastor of the bridegroom, in the presence of a large assemblage of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The attendants were Mrs. Merle S. Trostle, of Hanover, as matron of honor, and Charles Rosensteel, of Round Top, as best man. They are brother and sister of the bridegroom. The bride was attired in a white satin crepe gown with veil and wreath and carried a bouquet of white roses. The matron of honor was a dress of steel canton crepe with hat and shoes to match, and carried pink carnations. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Alwood, of Hanover, and has been employed in the Harover Shoe factory.

Rosensteel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rosensteel, of Round Top, and has been employed at the Reichle meat store for a number of years.

A reception to the newly-weds followed at the home of the bridegroom in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Rosensteel will reside in Gettysburg.

Baker—Schultz. — Maurice E. Baker,

Impressive Statue of Lincoln



This splendid bronze statue of Abraham Lincoln stands in front of the Court House in Newark, N. J., and is regarded as one of best in the country, although many cities have wonderful Lincoln memorials.

George Aughinbaugh, high constable. They descended upon McSherrystown in their cars and gathered up slot machines and punch boards at F. V. Toppier's barber shop. Harry J. Leonard's cafe, H. J. Pfaltzgraff's cafe, Clarence G. Smith's barber shop, Frank Burkee's grocery, Paul Eline's cafe and James Conrad's grocery. On the way to Gettysburg they gathered up machines at Earl J. Haverstick's and Charles and Clayton Myers', at Brushtown, and Geo. Houck's restaurant, New Oxford. The raid netted ten machines, either slot machines or punch boards, and the proprietors of the places where they were found were placed under arrest and bail was given for a hearing on Friday afternoon of this week before Justice J. L. Hill in Gettysburg.

Fine Show.

"Officer 666", a good snappy com- edy, was ably and most enthusiastically presented by local talent to a crowded house in Lincoln Way Theatre on Thursday evening. It was a decided success in every way and was put on the boards for the benefit of the Albert J. Lentz Post, No. 202, of American Legion. J. Harold Mum- per had charge of rehearsals and staging. The cast of characters was the following:

Bataato, a Japanese Servant—Fred G. Pfeffer.

Michael Phelan, Police Officer 666—J. Frank Stokes.

Whitney Barnes—Wm. G. Weaver.

Travers Gladwin, Millionaire Art Collector—J. Harold Mumper.

Helen Burton—Grace Ramer.

Sadie Small—Ellen Tipton.

Mrs. Burton, Helen's Aunt—Anna M. Weaver.

Alfred Wilson, a Picture Expert—Frank Gardner.

Thomas Watkins, Gladwin's For- mer Butler—Howard Armor.

Police Captain Stone—LeRoy Fis- seth.

Officer Ryan—J. F. Howe.

Officer O'Brien—A. J. Florence.

Officer Sullivan—J. J. Williams.

Officer O'Donnell—M. V. Fugitt.

Kearney, Plain Clothes Man—Rob- ert H. Hand.

Tablets to Memory of Col. Nicholson.

The Loyal Legion will erect two tablets to the memory of Col. John P. Nicholson on the battlefield of Gettysburg. The sites have not been located.

John O. Foering, of Philadelphia, recorder-in-chief of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, visited Gettysburg last week to consult with Col. E. B. Cope relative to the tablets.

Dr. Smith In Hall of Fame.

Dr. Edgar Fahs Smith, formerly of York, a graduate of Gettysburg College class of 1874, former provost and now president of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, is one of the twenty-three Americans, twenty-one of whom are now living, who, a special committee of the American Chemical Society announced Saturday, has attained international fame

To Increase Pensions of Widows.

Increase in the pensions of two widows of Civil war veterans is provided in bills introduced in the house by Representative Gladfelter. The pensions of Mrs. Catherine Beigh, of Bermudian, widow of John R. Beigh, who served in Company K, 83rd regiment, Pennsylvania infantry, and Mrs. Emma C. Withers, R. D. 4, New Oxford, widow of Daniel H. Withers, who served in Company E, 207th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, would be increased from \$30 a month to \$50 under the terms of the bills. The bills have been referred to the committee on invalid pensions.

EXCURSION to Baltimore, George Washington's Birthday, February 22. Special train leaves Gettysburg 7:45 A. M. \$1.50 Round Trip. Western Maryland Railway.

ARENDSVILLE.

We had our first thunder gust for this season last Tuesday afternoon. It was accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain.

Our fruit growers have begun trimming their fruit trees.

Edward F. Hartman, who was confined to his home for several weeks by illness, is able to be out again.

At this writing we are having cold-blustry weather with snow flurries—real ground hog weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts left Wednesday for a five weeks' visit among relatives in several of the southern and western states.

Price of butter at the store, 45 cts.; eggs, 35 cts.; lard, 12 cts.

New Oxford Liquor Case.

Charles Haar, of New Oxford, was given a hearing last Saturday on the charge of selling liquor at his shoe repair shop in New Oxford. State Policeman Dahlstrom and Dr. Stewart testified as to samples containing 41 per cent of alcohol. C. S. Duncan, Esq., represented the defendant. The Court at the conclusion of the appeal made for Haar placed him under parole for 12 months and ordered him to pay costs of \$43.30.

Miss Boyer To Start A Home.

Miss Margie Boyer expects by the middle of April to start in the home of her brother, Melvin, in Reading township, within a short distance of East Berlin, a temporary home for invalid children and women—a place where old ladies in search of home comforts can be accommodated, and where persons can send their children to enjoy the fresh air of the country under careful and competent guardianship. Over 115 feet of porch, encased in glass, surrounds the building. Miss Boyer is a nurse with 11 years' experience that has well qualified and fitted her for the matronship of such an institution.

Census of Dairy Cows.

Secretary of Agriculture Frank P. Willets in his census of dairy cows for January, 1924, reports that there are 862,935 dairy cattle in the State of an average value of \$50.00 per head or a total of \$45,046,852.00, and the figures in the report for Adams county were 12,682 dairy cattle at an average price of \$56 and with a total value of \$710,192.00.

Legion Drive For Members.

The Albert J. Lentz Post of the American Legion of Gettysburg is in the midst of a drive for members. The post consists of 128 members and it is said there are over 300 world veterans living in and near Gettysburg and these are the boys the post wants as members. The drive began on February 4 and will continue until the 18th and it is proposed to make a very thorough canvass.

Peach Pruning Demonstration.

On Friday, February 8th, at 1:30 P. M., Paul Thayer, Extension Pomologist at State College, conducted a peach pruning demonstration on the Blue Ribbon Farm of C. H. Musselman, west of Arendtsville. This demonstration was conducted on a long term basis, extending over a period of three years starting with peach planted last year and continuing these two blocks side by side, in order to bring out the right and wrong method of pruning peach trees. The idea of peach pruning has changed considerably and it was well worth while for those interested in peaches to be present.

The number of public sales of farm personal effects in this county promises to be the smallest for many years. It may be the exodus away from farms has about ended, and that farming has settled down to a more regular business. The lack of sales is a good sign, rather than otherwise.

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survived by the following brothers and sisters: William Fuhrman, of Indiana; George Fuhrman, of Baltimore; Frank Fuhrman, of Mount Pleasant, Md.; Mrs. Harry Blocher, of Littlestown, and Mrs. Harry Wentz, of Union Mills. For a period of about 20 years, Mr. Fuhrman carried the mails between Westminster and Littlestown, retiring from the work about 10 years ago. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. A. G. Wolf, of St. Mary's Lutheran Church, Silver Run, officiating, with interment in the Union Cemetery, Silver Run.

Mary Agnes Alwine, of Hanover, died at the home of Mrs. R. M. Wirt, after an illness of less than two weeks. She would have been 83 years old on February 28th. She was a daughter of the late Samuel and Susan Stambaugh Alwine. She leaves an only sister, Mrs. Charles Breighner, of Irishtown; Pius Breighner, of McSherrystown; Pius Miller, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Charles Hanif, of New York City, and Mrs. Agnes Chambers, of Philadelphia. Miss Alwine lived with the family of the late R. M. Wirt and Mrs. Wirt for more than four decades. She was a faithful and regular attendant of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Hanover. Funeral was from St. Joseph's on last Saturday, with a high requiem mass by Very Rev. J. A. Huber, with interment in the cemetery at Conegewee Chapel.

Mrs. Anna Verdier, wife of Howard Verdier, of Gettysburg, died at the Harrisburg Hospital Tuesday morning following an operation performed last Thursday. She was recovering when gangrene set in and caused her death, at the age of 42 years, 4 months and 4 days. Before marriage Mrs. Verdier was Miss Anna Beamer. For eight years she was a trained nurse. She is survived by her husband; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beamer, of Gettysburg, and two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Deatrick, of Bendersville, and Mrs. Daniel Hockley, of Mt. Holly Springs. The body was taken to Bendersville and funeral services were held on Friday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal church, Bendersville, by Rev. J. A. Farrar, and interment was made at Bendersville.

Mrs. Barbara Keiser, wife of Henry Keiser, died at her home near New Oxford, last Saturday night, aged 54 years, 7 months and 14 days. She was a daughter of the late John and Annie Weiman and was born and spent her entire life in that vicinity. She leaves her husband and three children: Miss Mary Keiser, at home; John and Joseph Keiser, of New Oxford; also two sisters, Mrs. John Sponser, of New Oxford, and Mrs. James Keiser, of Hanover. Funeral was on Tuesday morning, with high mass of requiem in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, New Oxford, by Rev. George L. Rice, and interment in the New Oxford Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Annie C. Nicholas, wife of William H. Nicholas, of York, died suddenly last Thursday evening while attending a demonstration of aluminum ware in that city. Death was probably due to a heart attack. She was aged 51 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by five sons: Wilbur, of Detroit, Michigan; Roy, Steward, Elmer and Harry, all at home; her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kunkle, of York; one brother, John Kunkle, of Harrisburg, and two sisters, Mrs. Jacob Gingerich, of York, and Mrs. Peter Heiges, of East Berlin.

Mrs. Calvin Sharer died at her home in Baltimore after a lingering illness, on Tuesday. She is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Ezra Jacobs and Mrs. Elizabeth Weikert, of East Berlin. George W. Joseph died at his home in Reading township, this county, on Wednesday, following an illness of six months, aged 53 years, 5 months and 5 days. He is survived by his aged mother, Mrs. Michael Joseph, of East Berlin, his wife, two brothers, Albert, of Bigmount, York county, and Harry, of Bellevue, Illinois, and one sister, Mrs. Martin Eicker, of Franklin, York county. The funeral was on Friday, with services at the Reformed church, East Berlin, and interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

Henry H. Wierman, of Wierman's Mill, a native of Adams county and veteran of the Civil War, died February 1st at the home of his niece, Mrs. Maude Wierman Kennedy, at Wierman's Mill, aged 85 years. He was known to most of his friends as "Doctor" Wierman. In the Civil War, Mr. Wierman served as a volunteer in Company K, 165th Pennsylvania infantry, enlisting at Camp Gettysburg under Colonel Charles H. Buehler. He saw active service until the close of the war. Mr. Wierman was born in the county and spent practically his entire life there, with the exception of a few years in Texas. He is survived by one sister, Miss Mary Wierman, of Weir, Texas, and his niece, Mrs. Maude Wierman Kennedy.

Mrs. Catherine R. Boll, wife of Christian A. Boll, died at her home in York, aged 60 years. Seven children survive, also three brothers, Joseph Gross, of Philadelphia; Ignatius M. Gross, of near Littlestown, and Edward H. Gross, of McSherrystown, and one sister, Mrs. Mary E. Robinson, of Midway.

Mrs. Laura Brown, wife of George Brown, colored, died at the Annie M. Warner Hospital on Thursday night after an illness of two weeks, aged about 40 years. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Penn, of this place, and for a number of years has been living in Pittsburgh and has been a state organizer of the colored women's W. C. T. U. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Helen Fowler, wife of Dr. Fowler, a dentist of Pittsburgh.

Ralph Weaver, son of Harry F. and Sophia S. Weaver, of McSherrystown, died Wednesday night at the Annie M. Warner Hospital from peritonitis. He was 14 years old last Sunday, and was taken to the hospital on Monday. Besides the parents, two sisters and brother, Estelle, Anna and Wilson Weaver, survived. The body was taken to McSherrystown and the funeral will be from St. Mary's Catholic Church on Saturday, by Rev. Dr. L. Aug. Reudert, celebrant of the mass, and burial in St. Mary's cemetery.

SPRING SALE LIST.

February.

15—Ezra Livingston, Huntingdon.
23—Charles Trostle, Mt. Joy.

25—Basehoar Brothers, Franklin.

27—Robert Watson, Iron Springs.

28—Lloyd R. Reaver, Mt. Joy.

March.

1—Alice Stitzel, Latimore.

1—H. S. Reigle, Conewago.

1—John W. Todt, Union.

1—S. H. Klinefelter, Mt. Pleasant.

3—John J. Cookson.

5—Martha L. Plunkett, Germany.

6—George Lillich, Berwick.

6—Calvin A. Carey, Butler.

7—J. M. Wildasin, Union.

7—Anderson Lenz, Straban.

8—S. S. Wine, Union.

8—Spencer Snyder, Huntingdon.

8—Charles D. Trostle, Mt. Joy.

8—Mrs. George Wagner, Butler.

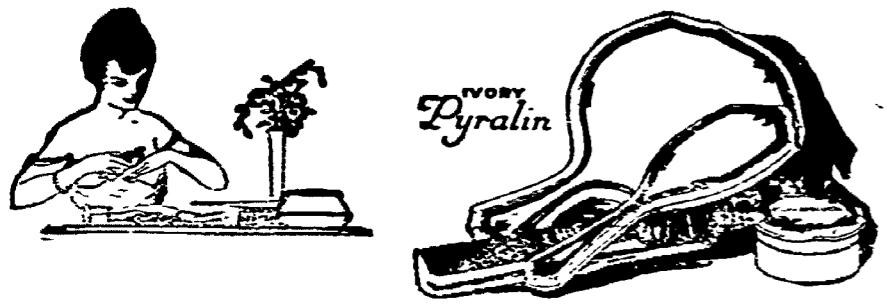
8—B. T. Eckenrode, Straban.

8—J. Calvin Lady, Cumberland.

8—William Harman, Franklin.

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Mrs. Hannah B. Weigle, widow of the late E. D. Weigle, D. D. who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Nicely, wife of Rev. Dr. George W. Nicely, in Hanover, has received a gift of a Dodge Sedan from her sons, Prof. L. A. Weigle, Yale, and D. E. Weigle, of St. Paul, Minn. Mrs. Weigle, who is a native of Adams County, recently underwent a serious operation in a Baltimore hospital, will be greatly helped and assisted by the use of a car.

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You can't always tell what is in a newspaper article by the head it carries.

The man who has been crooked is an adept at finding the crookedness in others.

Adam was the first man lured to ruin by the smiles of a woman, but he was not the last by any means, to meet such a fate.

If you do not think well of yourself, how can you expect others to?

People would have more faith in the reformers if they would begin on themselves.

KEMP'S BALSAM
Don't let the children cough and cough.

There is now but one living ex-President of the United States, Chief Justice William Howard Taft, being the only surviving American who has served his country in that capacity. There are five former first ladies of the land. Mrs. Warren G. Harding, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Mrs. Taft and Mrs. Grover Cleveland are the five.

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The climax to a series of petty robberies that have been occurring in Hanover recently was probably reached when a theft was committed at the Colonial Hotel Thursday night, the thief getting away with over five hundred dollars in money, jewelry and other goods.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. Two sizes, 30c and 60c, at all stores.

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Estate of Catherine Spangler, deceased—Letters of Administration on the estate of Catherine Spangler, late of the borough of New Oxford, Adams County, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JACOB F. HOWE,
Administrator,
New Oxford, Pa.,
Or his Attorney,
C. S. DUNCAN, Gettysburg, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

In re: estate of James L. Tresler, late of Franklin Township, Adams Co., Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the above estate have been duly granted by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pa., unto the undersigned, and all persons having claims or demands thereagainst are requested promptly to make the same known to, and all indebted thereto make payment unto

GEO. W. SCHWARTZ,
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No. 1. First and final account of George Y. Shorb and C. Arthur Eby, Executors of the estate of John A. Shorb, late of the Borough of Littlestown, Adams Co., Pa., dec'd.

No. 2. First and partial account of Kate Brane and W. S. Houck, Executors of the estate of Ephraim Brane, late of the Township of Tyrone, Adams Co., Pa., dec'd.

No. 3. First and final account of Mervin Wintrode, Harry Messinger and Herbert Motter, Administrators of the estate of Upton Harner, late of the Township of Germany, Adams Co., Pa., dec'd.

No. 4. First and final account of Harvey D. Alwine, Administrator of the estate of Catherine Alwine, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams Co., Pa., dec'd.

No. 5. First and final account of L. B. Thomas, Administrator of the estate of Annie M. Thomas, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams Co., Pa., dec'd.

No. 6. First and final account of J. W. Fawcett, Administrator, Gettysburg, Pa., dec'd.

No. 7. First and final account of L. C. Plank, Clerk of Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pa.

No. 8. First and final account of Milton H. Brown, Administrator of the estate of John Miller, late of the Borough of East Berlin, Adams Co., Pa., dec'd.

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Lincoln Was Not So Mild and Meek

Great Liberator Could Bare Teeth and Fight When Necessary

By PROF. B. J. CIGRAND, in Chicago Evening American.

There is a tendency in recent writings to picture Lincoln so mild and meek that his red-bloodedness and his emphatic methods of rebuke are lost and the real value of the giant among men is destroyed.

Several recent biographies and many orations and magazine articles of late years have given the impression that Lincoln was not master of his cabinet. It is said he often laughed and told stories when his serious opinion was needed.

If any president endured intrigue at the cabinet board, Lincoln did. Not a single other man who ever sat in the presidential chair would have permitted the bold, personal campaigning of his personal associates.

But Lincoln seemed to let these men go on, gradually disclosing not only to himself but the public their selfish personal ambitions and then at the right time and in an inimitable way he would grab the official by the coat collar and bring him back to the straight and narrow path of Lincoln ideas.

Lincoln's manner of dealing with men was entirely different from that of any other president.

He even "ran after" General McClellan and permitted offensive correspondence and no end of "slights" to come to light. But Lincoln, like an indulgent father, could, when the proper moment came, call a halt and take some of the officials "in the woodshed and dust their trousers."

Ultimatum to Plotters.

To show he was not intimidated, I give a copy of a letter which he read at a cabinet meeting during the time when Stanton, Chase and Seward were secretly condemning one another and suggesting removals so that they might all the better conduct their campaign to prevent Lincoln's re-election and seat themselves.

The letter reads:

"I must be the judge how long to retain in, and when to remove any of you from his position. It would greatly pain me to discover any of you endeavoring to procure another's removal, or, in any way, to prejudice him before the public. Such endeavor would be a wrong to me; and much worse a wrong to the country. My wish is that on this subject no remark be made, nor question asked by any of you, here or elsewhere, now or hereafter."

One day early in Lincoln's administration, Mrs. Lincoln said to him:

"It is common rumor about the capital that Seward and not you will be the president—that he will rule you."

He replied:

"I may not rule myself, but certainly Seward shall not. The only ruler I have is my conscience, following God in it, and these men will have to learn that yet."

At another time Lincoln was visited by a congressional committee headed by Thad Stevens, who burst in on Lincoln with the accusation:

"The way you are running this country is carrying it to be approaching hell, very fast."

Lincoln asked: "About how far from that place are we now?"

Stevens sharply replied: "I would say about 'tis."

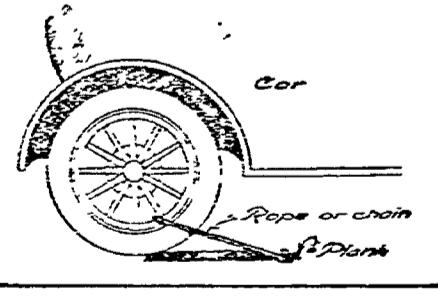
Lincoln smiled and replied: "About

GETTING AUTO OUT OF MUD

Device Made of Plank Four Feet Long and One Foot Wide Is Useful in Emergency.

The Farm Journal in illustrating and describing a device to get a car out of mud hole, the invention of Robert H. Neill of Ohio, says:

"A device for getting the car out of the mud under its own power can



Getting Car Out of Mud Hole.

be made from a plank about four feet long, one foot wide and two inches thick. A chain is fastened at two corners of plank, and when laid in front of the sunken wheel the chain is passed around one of the spokes as shown in diagram. By this means the car will climb up onto the plank and out of the mud hole.

"This device is not bulky and should be carried along as one of the most useful tools."

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No automobilist likes to be without a trouble lamp, and often when he has one he finds it difficult to place it where it will afford illumination at the seat of the trouble while his hands are occupied with tools. The newest type of trouble lamp has an electro-magnet in the base, which is energized when the lamp is lighted, making it possible to stick it to any of the iron parts of the car.

a mile—why that's about from here to the capitol." And everyone save Stevens roared.

Stepped Out of Beaten Path.

Seward, who had for years toiled to subordinate Lincoln, finally wrote to his wife: "Executive skill and vigor are rare qualities. The President is the best of us."

On July 30, 1863, Lincoln issued a public letter, designed especially for the soldiers and sympathizers of the Confederacy:

"It is the duty of every government to give protection to its citizens and especially those who are organized as soldiers in the public service. It is, therefore, ordered that for every soldier of the United States killed in violation of the laws of war, a rebel soldier shall be executed; and for every one enslaved or sold into slavery, a rebel soldier shall be placed at hard labor on the public works."

Promised Glory for All Officials.

I look upon this order as the least representative sentence in Lincoln's entire life story and doubtless it was inspired by the usages of war and came as a cabinet measure.

Another message to his cabinet shows how he guided them and constantly reminded them of broad patriotism. It reads:

"It will require the utmost skill, influence and sagacity of all of us to save the republic. Let us forget ourselves and join hands like brothers to save the republic. If we succeed there will be glory enough for all."

And Stanton, who, in the early days of the Civil war, said, "Lincoln is a fool, a low, cunning clown. The original gorilla Du Chaillu, the naturalist, wandered all the way to Africa in search of when he might have found it in Springfield, Ill." later said when Lincoln was assassinated: "Lincoln is the most perfect ruler of men the world has ever seen."

Lincoln The Lawyer



This likeness of the emancipator, taken when he was practicing law, is regarded one of the best ever made.

Men You May Marry

By E. R. PEYSER

Has a Man Like This Proposed to You?

Symptoms: He has just lately come to your burg, to take a job—he has come from a larger place. Wants to know all about your town. Yet never stops talking of how they did things in Xville, what great feilers they have there, what good lookers the girls are, what rushing business they do and what swell parties they give. He dresses usually in brown from head to heels and his shoulders have well built-in scaffolding to train 'em up. He is jovial. Likes you because you look like the good lookers in Xville. Likes change and variety.

IN FACT
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"Good Morrow To You, My Valentine!"

MANY curious old charms are said to be potent on St. Valentine's eve—all, like most charms ever invented, connected with the procuring of husbands. Even before surplus woman dawned on the scene, this seems to have been a subject of much anxiety.

Five bay leaves, pinned respectively to the four corners and the center of the pillow, are said to bring certain dreams of the future partner, if the sleeper has gone to bed without eating or speaking.

Another infallible spell was to write the names of admirers on separate pieces of paper, enclose them in clay balls and throw them into water. The one which came to the surface first contained the name of the fated spouse.

It is a sign of great good luck if the swain you favor should be the first man seen on February 14. The modern girl who does not pin her faith entirely to signs and omens, can always practice the ruse of a shrewd maiden of long ago, who, knowing where her heart had gone, "lay a bed and shut my eyes all the morning till he" came, for I would not have seen another man before him for all the world."

She was far-seeing and lucky. But if she had set eyes first on the wrong man, she would have wedded him, so a poet tells us:

"Last Valentine, the day when birds of kind

Their paramours with mutual chirpings and

Afield I went, amid the morning dew,
To milk my kine (for so should housewives do).

There first I spied, and the first swain

In spite of fortune, shall our true love be."

Some of us wish that a quaint old custom practiced in the time of Pepys was still prevalent—the rule that a man must give a present to the first woman he saw on February 14. Pepys, gay old rascal that he was, much bewailed himself that his own tribute had to be offered to his wife—a proceeding he considered very dull, when there were plenty of pretty young girls at the light-hearted court of Charles II.

Old people still remember the time when valentines were as popular as Christmas cards and the postman groaned under his load on the morning of the 14th. This is still the case in the United States, but the idea of courtship is no longer much connected with these bright cards.

Nowadays Shakespeare's greeting:

"Good morrow, 'tis St. Valentine's day.

All the morning beime,
And I a maid at your window,

To be your valentine."

simply reminds us of the passing of a delightful old custom.

Christianity brought the custom of placing each feast day under the patronage of a saint, and so St. Valentine, who never married himself, became the patron saint of lovers.—The Lady's Companion.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

FOR a company dish try the following:

Filet of Beef.

Trim the fillet neatly and lay into a deep dish with an onion cut into slices, two bay leaves, a sprig of parsley, whole pepper and salt and olive oil to baste it well. Let the fillet lie in this marinade for six hours, turning occasionally, then roast in a hot oven: let it be rather underdone. Serve surrounded by macaroni cooked as follows: Put into a saucepan one-half cupful of tomato puree, three table-spoonfuls of butter and two or three table-spoonfuls of meat gravy; season with pepper and salt to taste. Bring to the boiling point and simmer for a few minutes, then add a little at a time some previously cooked macaroni. Toss all lightly and add three table-spoonfuls of grated cheese just at the last.

Creme de Marrons.

Take one-half pound of large chestnuts, cut a cross on each and boil them in plenty of water until the outer skin can be easily removed. Then pound them in a mortar and pass through a fine sieve into a dish; add a few drops of milk to soften the mixture. Beat the yolks of three eggs with one-half cupful of cream and the same of milk, add one-fourth cupful of sugar, a few drops of vanilla, and strain the mixture into a double boiler. Stir the mixture over the fire until it thickens, then add a little less than half an ounce of gelatin, which has been soaked in cold water and dissolved over heat. Pour this custard gradually over the chestnut puree, mix well, then pour into a hollow mold. When ready to serve, unmold and fill the center with whipped cream, sweetened and tinted with pink sugar.

Breakfast Mackerel.

Soak a salt fish skin side up, change the water until most of the salt is removed. Place in a dripping pan skin side down and pour over a cupful of thin cream. Bake in a moderate oven until the fish is tender. Season and serve hot with baked potatoes.

Nellie Maxwell
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After Inventory Sale

Our annual inventory being just completed has revealed a great many little odd lots in almost every department that must be closed out to make room for spring goods arriving practically every day.

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THE PEAKS OF LIFE

By DOUGLAS MALLON

WHO has not seen some crimson flow'r

Whose heart was red as embers?

Who has not known some mighty hour

One evermore remembers?

Among the trees upon the crest

One tree stands higher than the rest.

One note in all night's madrigals

The heart especially recalls.

We live in moments such as these,

Our hours of joy or sorrow;

For his yesterdays of ease

Will recollect tomorrow?

Some love we won, some love we lost,

Some mountain, not some plain we crossed,

We shall remember, joy and strife—

We live upon the peaks of life.

In hours of pain we learn to cling

To something worth believing,

And joy perhaps we learn to sing

The better after grieving.

A heart that never knew a pain

Is like a land without a rain,

Is like a land that never knows

A springtime flood, or summer rose.

So let us thank our God for this,

Our daytime, our December.

The first embrace, the parting kiss,

The things that we remember,

The day with neither rain nor sun

Brought never flow'r to anyone—

Thank God for joy, and grief, and strife;

We live upon the peaks of life.

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STEEL TIRE FOR AUTOMOBILE

Invention of San Francisco Man Provides Device With Elasticity of Air Cushion.

The Scientific American in illustrating and describing a steel tire, the invention of A. P. Mallon of San Francisco says:

"This invention relates to tires for motor vehicles in general, its object is to provide a tire made of spring steel, spirally wound, or similar rigid material.

It's all right to make yourself heard, but the clock that strikes loudest doesn't always keep the best time.

Even the straw that breaks the camel's back wouldn't sustain the drowning man who clutches at it.

Muggins—I always feel sorry for people whose ambitions are not realized.

Biggins—Oh, perhaps it is just as well. The fellow who wants the earth would squander it on some woman anyhow.

The cynical bachelor observes that no man can truthfully say he has reached the age of discretion if he has ever married